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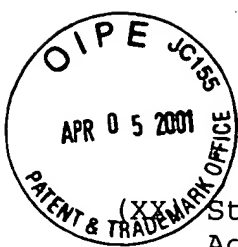
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS
FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE
SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURE**

In response to the "Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated March 15, 2001, a response to which is due April 15, 2001, enclosed herewith is:

(XX) Amendment under 1.825;



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(XX) Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 CFR §§1.821 through 1.825;

(XX) Substitute pages of the Sequence Listing;

(XX) Substitute copy of the computer readable form of amended Sequence Listing;

(XX) Copy of Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;

() Petition for Three (3) Month Extension of Time;

() Other: _____.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1619. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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